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WELCOME TO THE COMIC BOOK WORLD OF SONIC BOOM! WHERE SONIC AND HIS FRIENDS ENJOY LIVES FULL OF ADVENTURE AND FUN AS THEY FOIL THE ZANY PLANS OF DR. EGGMAN!

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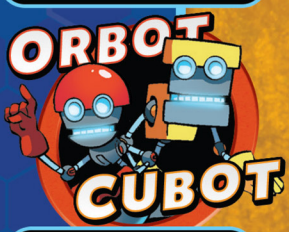
GO, SPEED RACING HERO!

GO, SPEED RACING VILLAIN!

GO, SPEED RACING SIDEKICKS!



GO, PLEASE! FAR, FAR AWAY!

SONIC BOOM™

OKAY --

We gotta make this quick!
*** Because Sonic needs to be *RESCUED!* ***

Sorry, we're getting ahead of ourselves.

Dr. Eggman challenged the gang to a go-kart race around the island. One after another, the racers were driven off the track by Dr. Eggman's traps!

Come to think of it, they probably should've seen this coming.

ANYWAY! Sonic's go-kart went over the edge of a ravine and is now plummeting to certain doom!

Hurry up!
TURN THE PAGE!

WE NEED TO KNOW WHAT HAPPENS!

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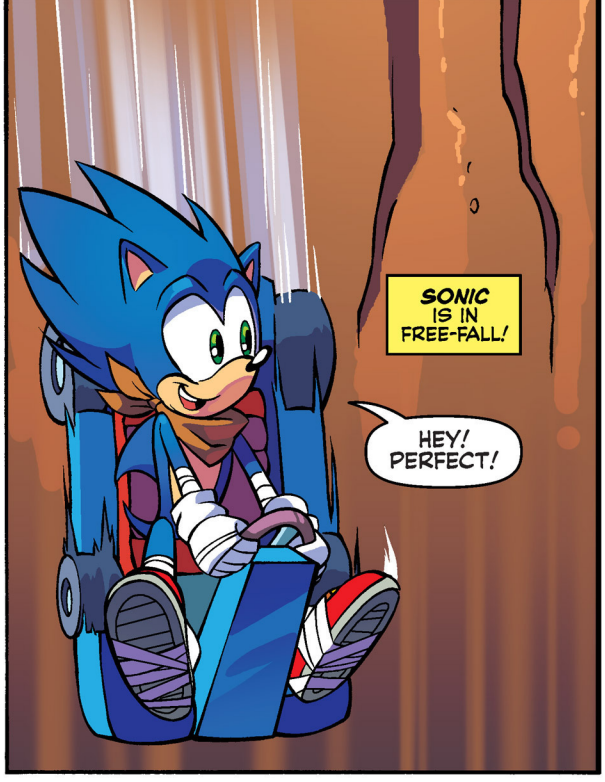
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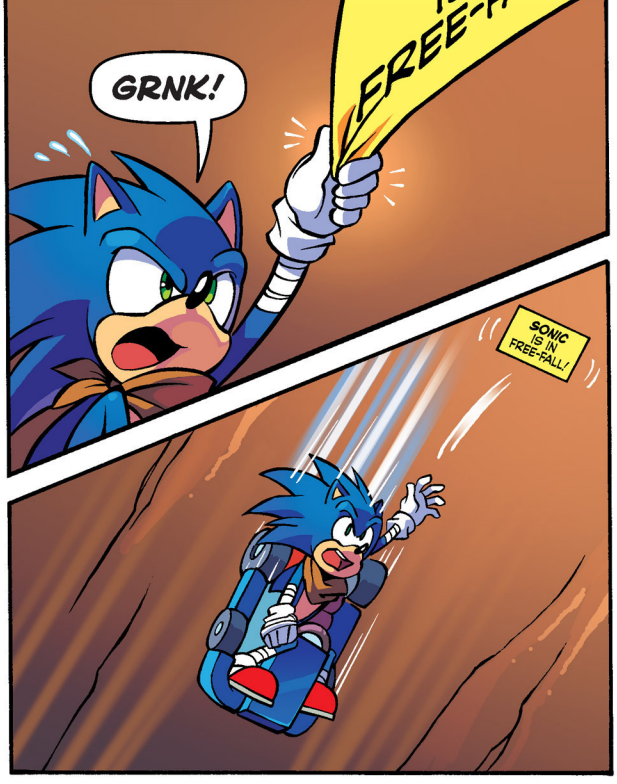
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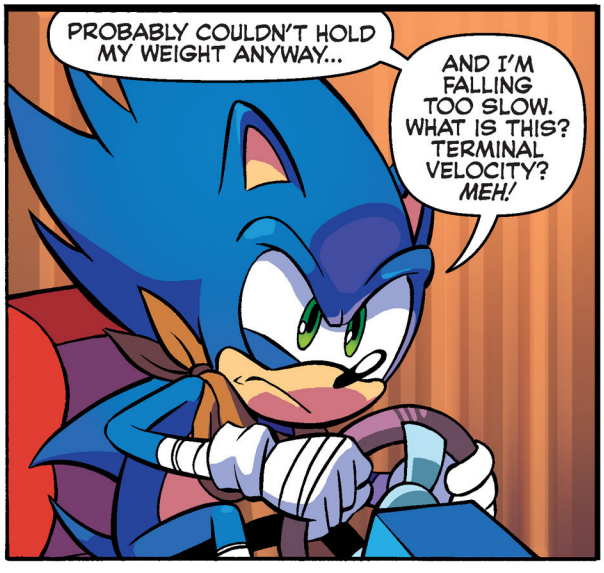
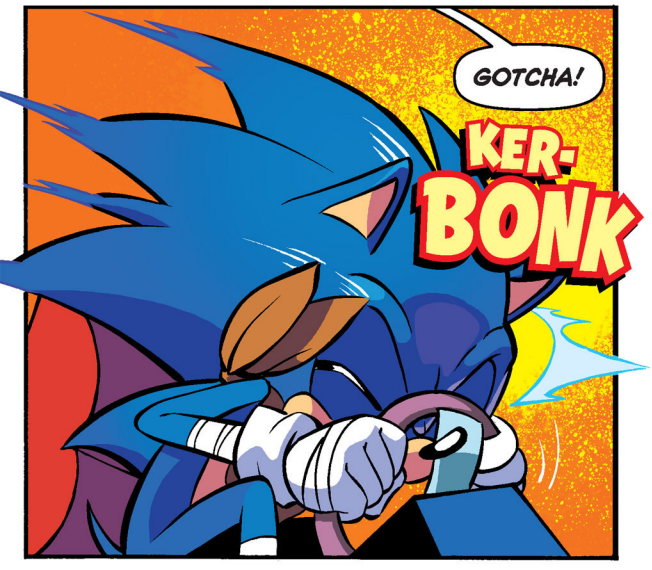
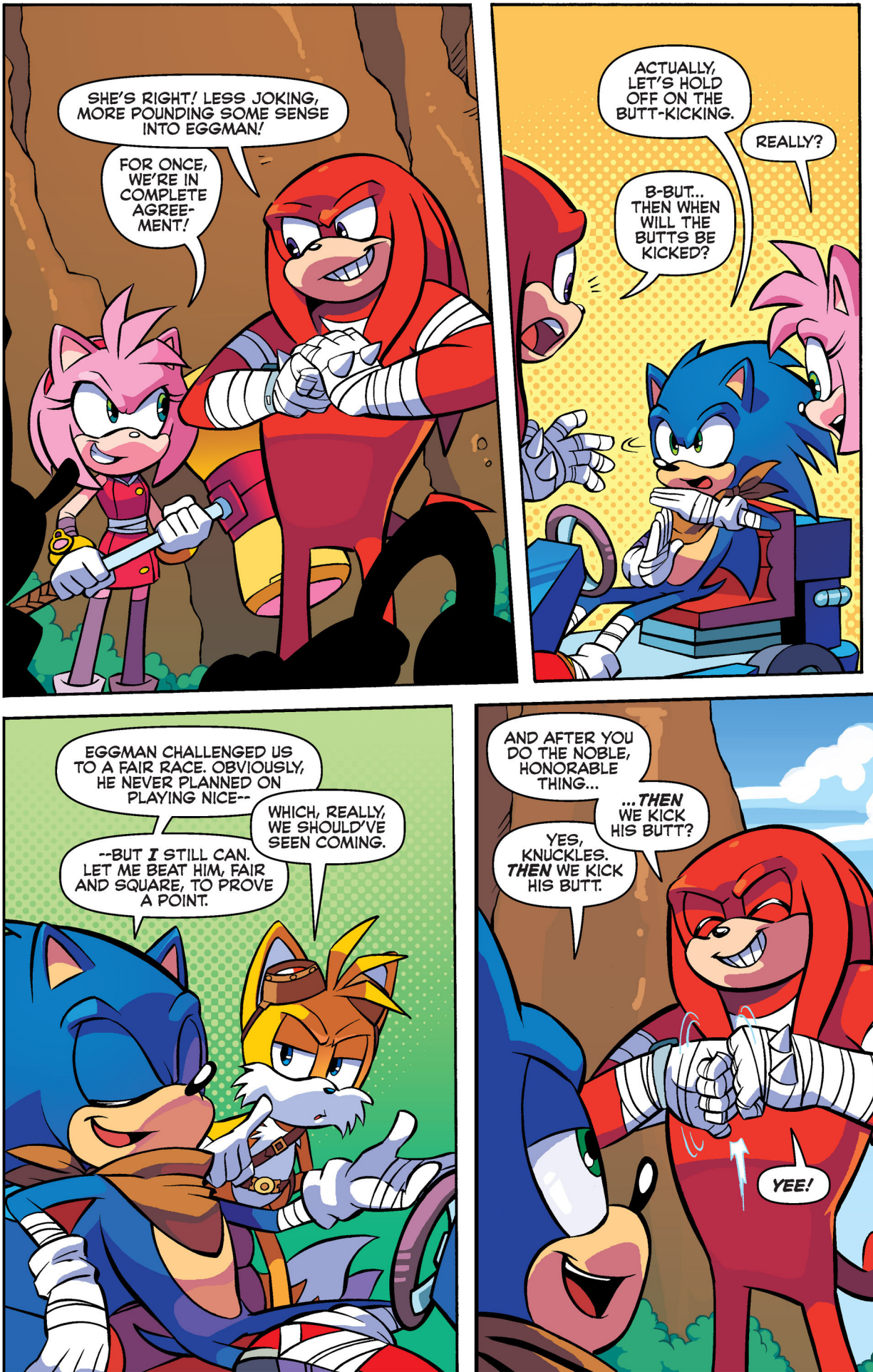
SONIC IS IN FREE-FALL!


PROBABLY COULDN'T HOLD MY WEIGHT ANYWAY...
AND I'M FALLING TOO SLOW. WHAT IS THIS? TERMINAL VELOCITY? MEH!


GOTCHA!
KER-BONK

TAILS IS GONNA PULL HIS SHOULDER DOING THAT
OW!
I MEAN-- NICE CATCH, BUDDY!
HRRGH! ANY TIME!

WE'RE READY, TAILS!
SET HIM DOWN HERE!
AMY ROSE TO THE RESCUE!
KNUCKLES HIM TOO!
KER-CRREEAAKK
KER-THUMP
WHEW! THANKS, GUYS! BUT HOW DID YOU GET HERE SO FAST?
ARE YOU KIDDING? WE HAD A WHOLE MONTH TO GET HERE!
AHH! RELEASE SCHEDULE HUMOR.
CAN WE PLEASE STOP BREAKING THE FOURTH WALL?


SHE'S RIGHT! LESS JOKING, MORE POUNDING SOME SENSE INTO EGGMAN!
FOR ONCE, WE'RE IN COMPLETE AGREE-MENT!
ACTUALLY, LET'S HOLD OFF ON THE BUTT-KICKING.
REALLY?
B-BUT... THEN WHEN WILL THE BUTTS BE KICKED?
EGGMAN CHALLENGED US TO A FAIR RACE. OBVIOUSLY, HE NEVER PLANNED ON PLAYING NICE--
WHICH, REALLY, WE SHOULD'VE SEEN COMING.
--BUT I STILL CAN. LET ME BEAT HIM, FAIR AND SQUARE, TO PROVE A POINT.
AND AFTER YOU DO THE NOBLE, HONORABLE THING...
...THEN WE KICK HIS BUTT?
YES, KNUCKLES. THEN WE KICK HIS BUTT.
YEE!

ONE PROBLEM-- HOW ARE YOU GETTING BACK ONTO THE ROAD? THERE'S NO WAY I CAN FLY YOU UP THERE!
I'VE GOT THIS!
Y-YOU DO? WHAT ARE YOU...?
BUCKLE UP!
KNUCKLES!
KER-WHOOSH
KER-WHOOSH
KER-WHOOSH
KNUCKLES!
NRGLS!!!*
*TRANSLATION: "KNUCKLES!!!"

KER-WHAM
HA! HA-HA-HAAA!
KER-VROOOM
DOO-DEE-DOO! DROPPED SONIC OFF A BRIDGE!
DEE-DOO-DEE! WISH I COULD DO IT AGAIN!
...WHAT SOUNDS LIKE A VENGEFUL GO-KART FAST APPROACHING...?
HOW IN THE--?!
NEVERMIND! LAUNCH ALL THE COUNTER-MEASURES!

KER-BUZZ

KER-VROOM

KER-RUMBLE

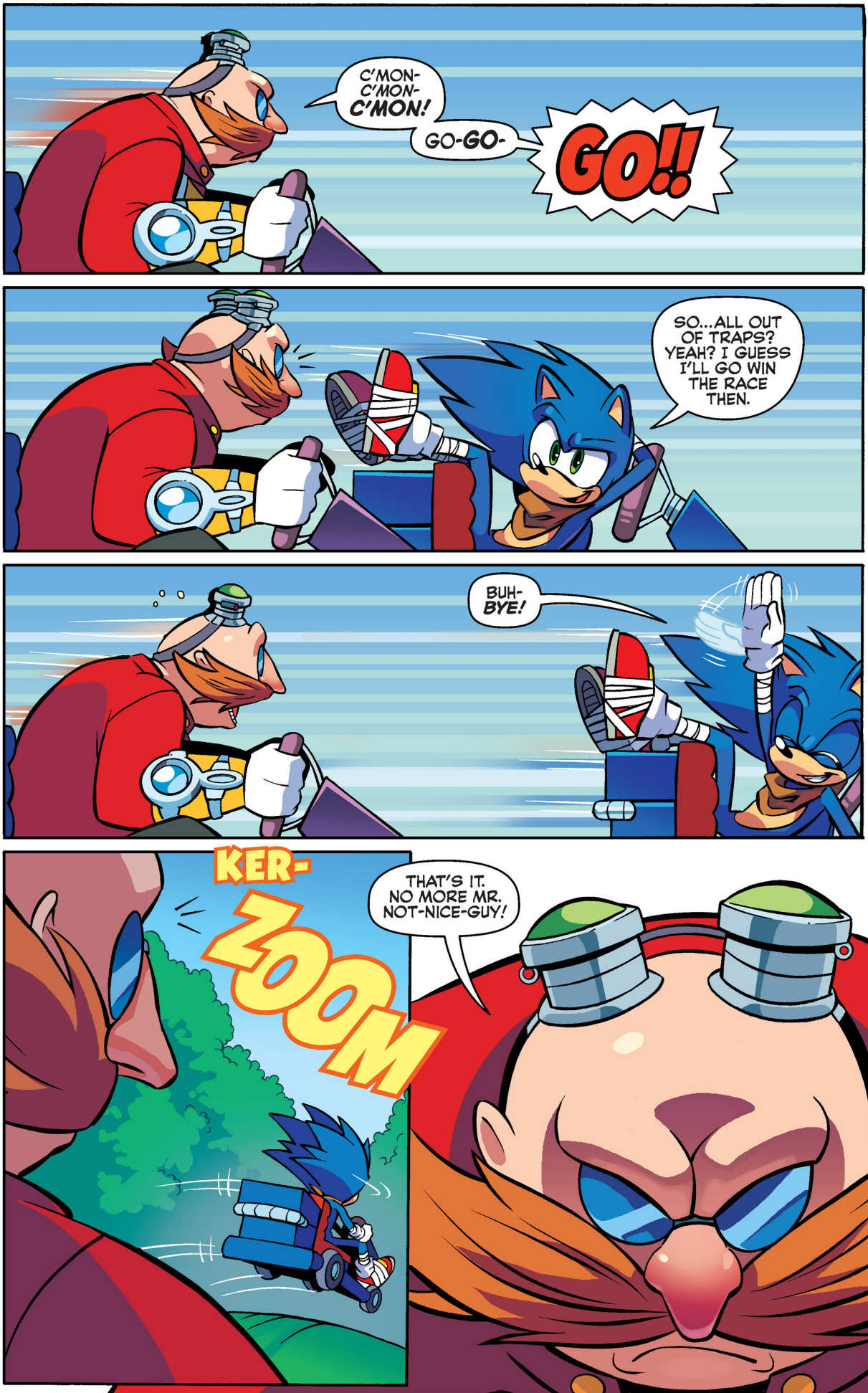
KER-SCREEE

KER-DISCOURAGED

KER-VOMP

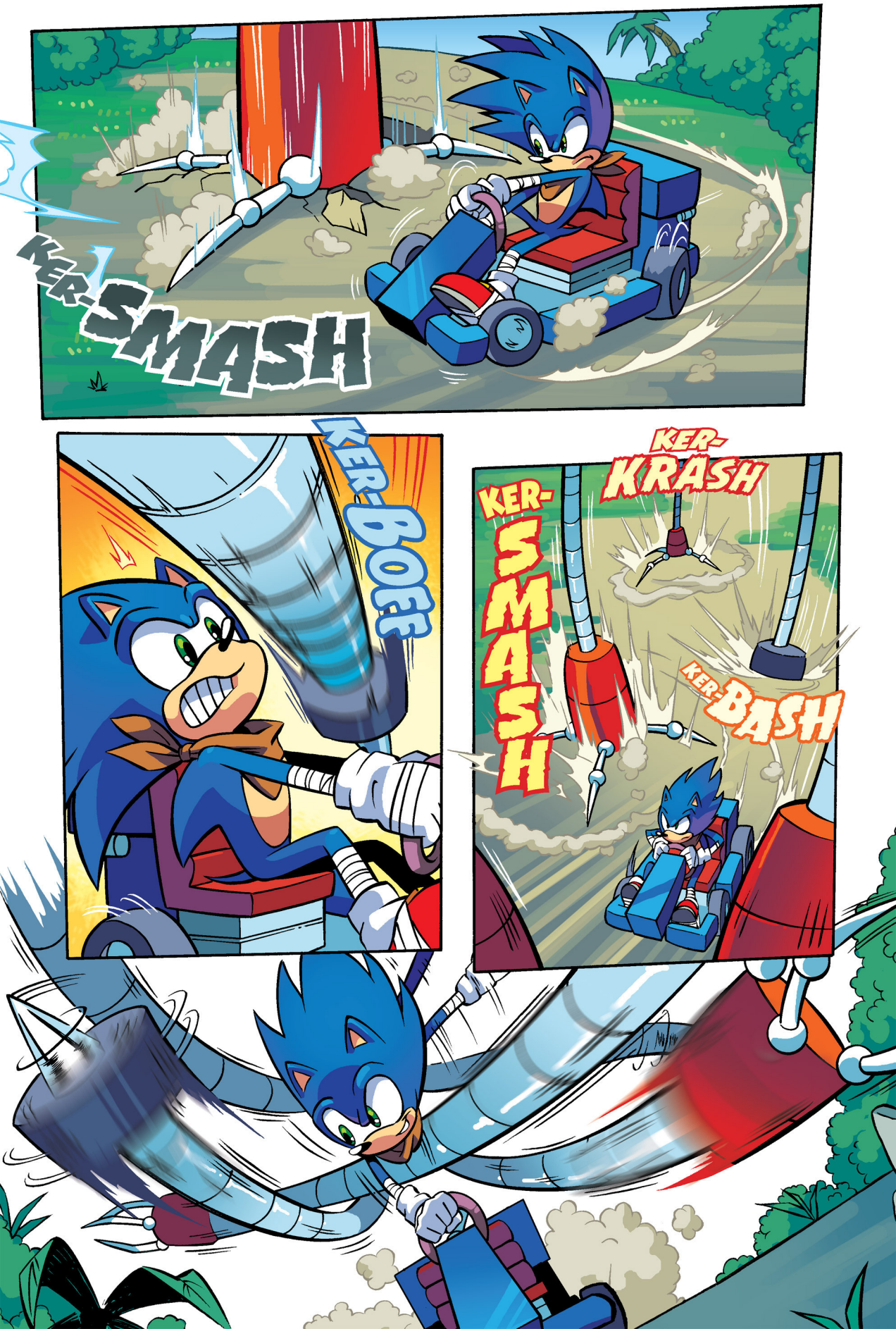
KER-WHOOSH

KER-HEY!!


C'MON-
C'MON-
C'MON!
GO-GO-
GO!!
SO...ALL OUT OF TRAPS? YEAH? I GUESS I'LL GO WIN THE RACE THEN.
BUH-
BYE!
KER-
ZOOM
THAT'S IT. NO MORE MR. NOT-NICE-GUY!

KER-BOOP
KER-VRRT
KER-ZRRT
GO-GO, SPIDER-KART!!

WOO!
GO SONIC!
LET'S SEE... EGGMAN RIGGING THE RACE? CHECK.
THE GO-KARTS WERE REALLY BIO-SCANNER TRAP-THINGIES? CHECK.
EGGMAN'S GO-KART TURNS INTO A GIANT MECHA-DRAGON...?
Eh... TWO OUTTA THREE AIN'T BAD.


KER-SMASH
KER-BOFF
KER-KRASH
KER-SMASH
KER-BASH

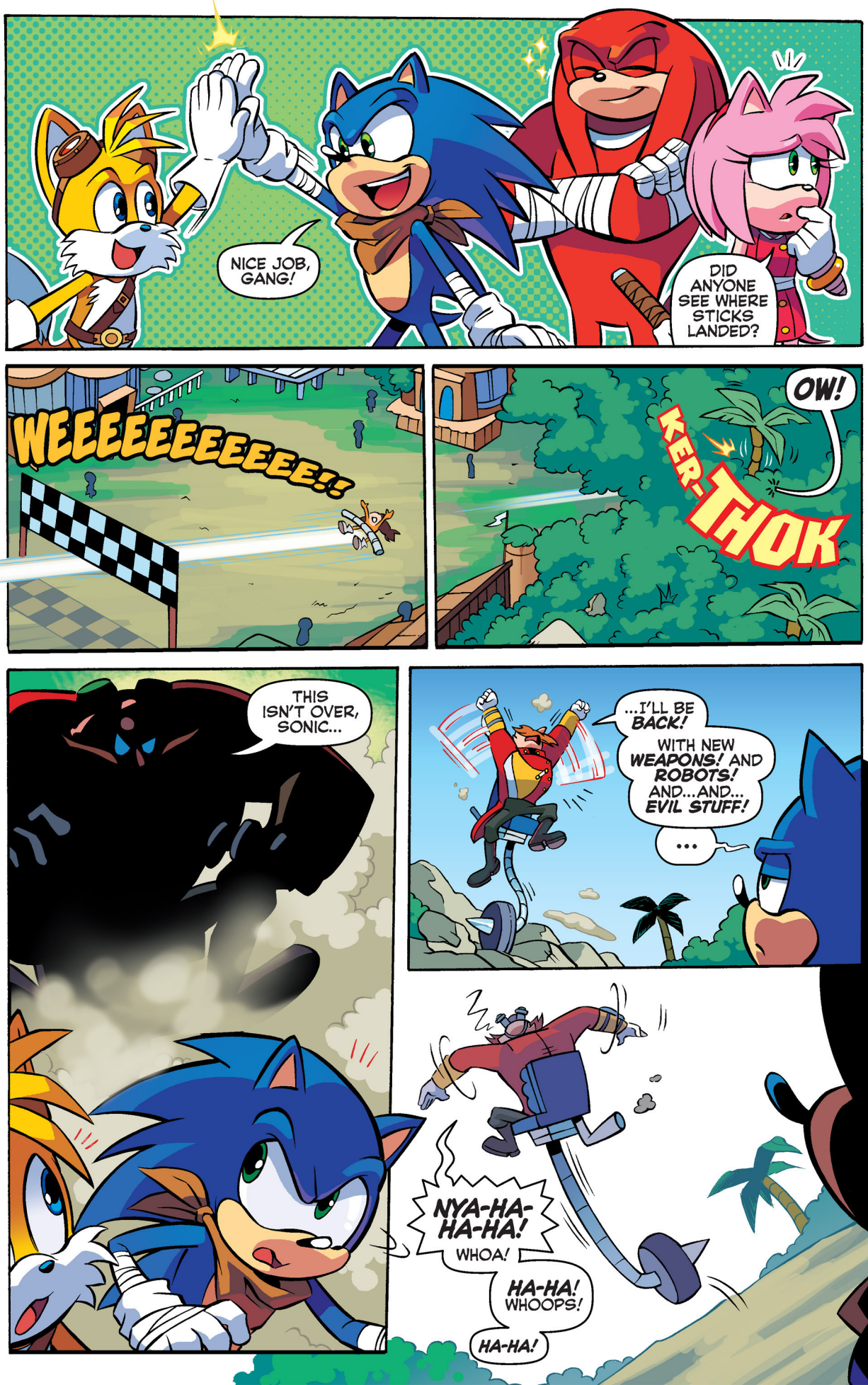
FINALLY! I CROSS THAT LINE, AND I'M HOME FREE!
DON'T WORRY, SONIC! I'M COMIN' TO SAVE YA!
OR NOT.
KER-KRASH
NO FAIR!
"FAIR" WENT OUT THE WINDOW TWENTY MILES BACK!
SONIC MAY WANT TO WAIT--
--BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN WE HAVE TO HOLD BACK!

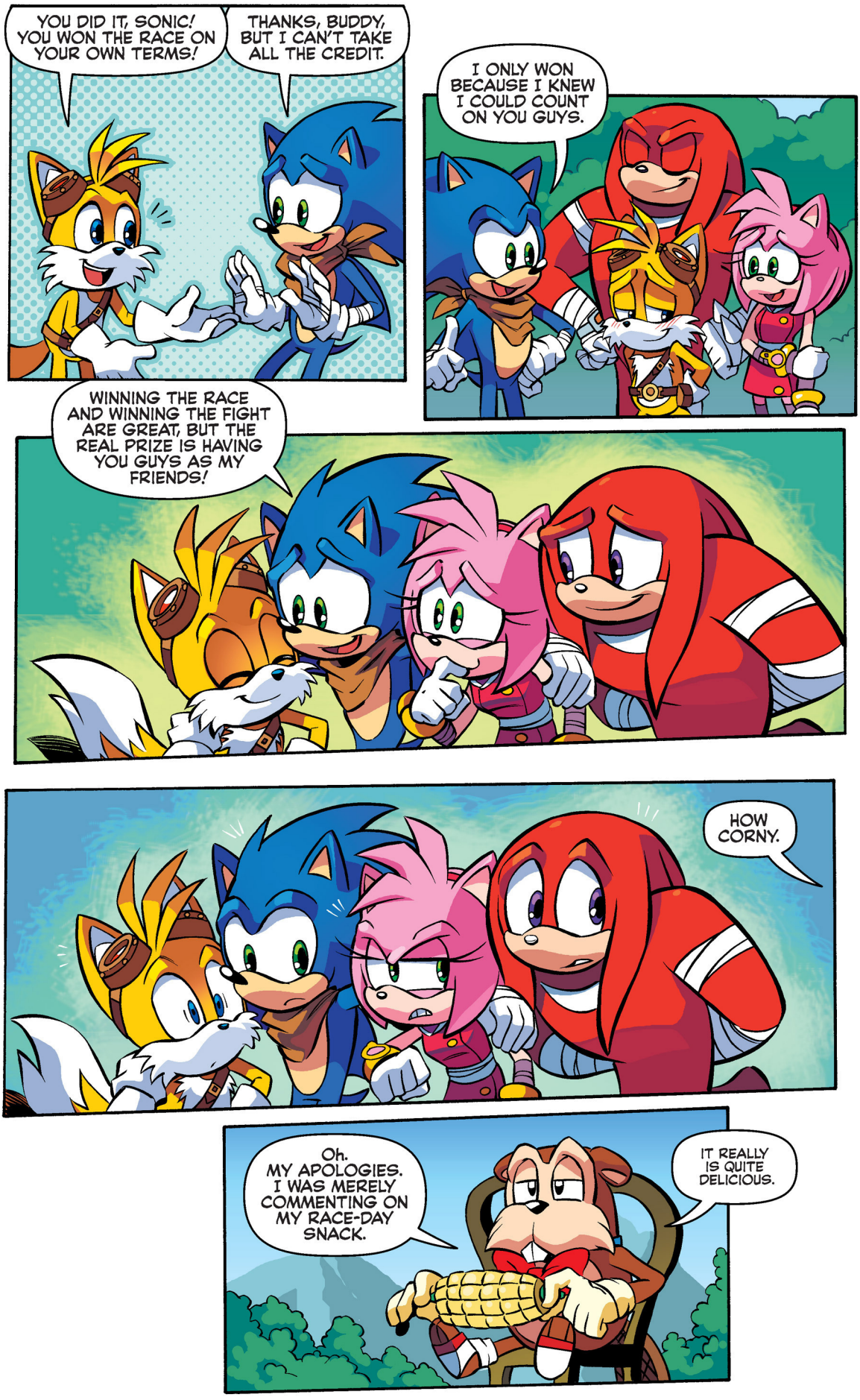
KER-SMASH
THANKS, GUYS!
NO!
NO!

KER-WHOOSH
KER-WIN!!
KER-YAAAAAAAYYY!!
Y'SEE THAT, EGGFACE? I STILL MANAGED TO WIN YOUR RACE ON YOUR RULES!
YOU BROKE YOUR OWN RULES AND LOST!
THEY WERE MY RULES TO BREAK!
AND NOW I'M GONNA BREAK THAT CONTRAPTION OF YOURS!
I'D LIKE TO SEE YOU TRY!

AHH!
GOTCHA, EGG-BREATH!
KER-KRASH
I TAKE IT BACK! I DON'T WANT TO SEE YOU TRY! I DON'T!
GROWL!
HSSSSSSSSSS!
BADGER-NOISES!
KER-CLANG

SAVE SOME FOR US!
COULDN'T YOU HAVE LANDED US CLOSER?
PARKING'S AT A PREMIUM! AND I DIDN'T HAVE EXACT CHANGE!
KER-SMASH
KER-SHRRRP
NO!
WOOO!
KER-NOISES!


NICE JOB, GANG!
DID ANYONE SEE WHERE STICKS LANDED?
WEEEEEEEEEEEE!!
OW!
KER-THOK
THIS ISN'T OVER, SONIC...
...I'LL BE BACK!
WITH NEW WEAPONS! AND ROBOTS! AND...AND... EVIL STUFF!
...
NYA-HA-HA-HA!
WHOA!
HA-HA! WHOOPS!
HA-HA!


YOU DID IT, SONIC! YOU WON THE RACE ON YOUR OWN TERMS!
THANKS, BUDDY, BUT I CAN'T TAKE ALL THE CREDIT.
I ONLY WON BECAUSE I KNEW I COULD COUNT ON YOU GUYS.
WINNING THE RACE AND WINNING THE FIGHT ARE GREAT, BUT THE REAL PRIZE IS HAVING YOU GUYS AS MY FRIENDS!
HOW CORNY.
Oh. MY APOLOGIES. I WAS MERELY COMMENTING ON MY RACE-DAY SNACK.
IT REALLY IS QUITE DELICIOUS.

OKAY--
SERIOUSLY--
WHERE DID STICKS GO?
NEARBY...!
UGH...Oh, HELLO, COCONUTS. COME TO SHARE MORE GOSSIP?
LIKE WHAT THAT WEIRD HOLE IN THE AIR IS OVER THERE?
WHO IS THAT CROSSING OVER INTO THE SCENE?! TO FIND OUT, PICK UP SONIC UNIVERSE #76 FOR PART ONE OF THE CROSSOVER EVENT:
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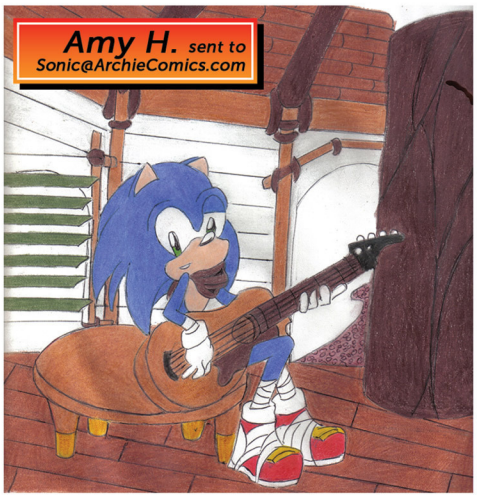

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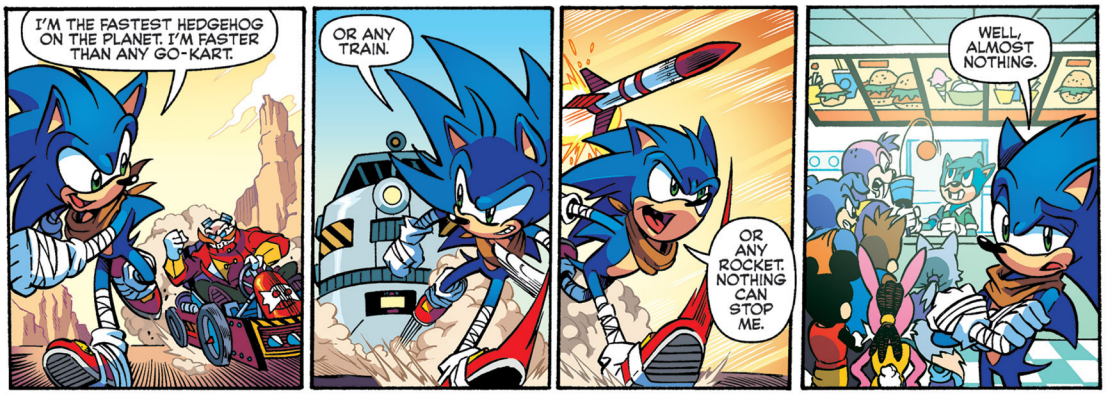
I'M THE FASTEST HEDGEHOG ON THE PLANET. I'M FASTER THAN ANY GO-KART.
OR ANY TRAIN.
OR ANY ROCKET. NOTHING CAN STOP ME.
WELL, ALMOST NOTHING.

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